

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Serial No.:	10/598,052	Group Art Unit:	2829
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Title:	TEST APPARATUS FOR TESTING SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE, AND METHOD OFR TESTING THE SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE		

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the Non-Final Office Action mailed August 31, 2009. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: